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REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Dear Commissioner for Patents:

A copy of the official Filing Receipt received from the PTO, for which issuance of a corrected Filing Receipt is requested, is provided as Appendix A. The error to be corrected is the omission of reference to parent applications for which a priority claim was made in the instant application. A complete listing of the parent applications to be identified in the corrected Filing Receipt is provided as Appendix B.

At the time of filing the instant application, priority claim information was provided under the section "REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS," on page 1 of the specification. However, the first related application listed in the specification ("Priority Claim 1") (from which the instant application is a continuation-in-part), see Appendix B, had not yet

been assigned an application number at the time of filing the instant application. Therefore, to claim priority to Priority Claim 1, its filing date (August 29, 2000) was provided for purposes of identification.

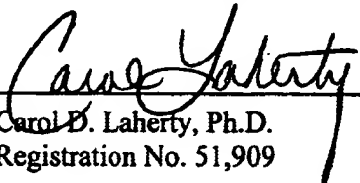
Applicants note that the Declaration for Utility Patent Application filed December 12, 2000, provided as Appendix C, correctly lists the serial number for Priority Claim 1 as 09/651,563. Applicants believe that this provides sufficient evidence that the instant application is related to the applications indicated in Appendix B.

In light of the above information, Applicants respectfully request that a corrected Filing Receipt be issued to include the previously omitted priority claim information.

Respectfully submitted,

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App. A – Copy of Filing Receipt

App. B – Priority Claim Information

App. C – Copy of Declaration for Utility Patent Application

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